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In re Application of: Group Art Unit: 2151

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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action mailed January 14, 2008, the Applicant amends and remarks as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.